

CLAIMS:

1. A floor sweeper comprising:
a body,
5 a main brush mounted to the body and extending
transversely thereof and driven to rotate,
an auxiliary brush mounted to the body and driven to
rotate about a substantially vertical axis independently
of the main brush.
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2. The floor sweeper of Claim 1 further comprising an
electric motor mounted within the body and driving the
main brush.
- 15 3. The floor sweeper of Claim 2 further comprising a
drive pulley attached to add output shaft of the electric
motor, a driven pulley upon the main brush, and a drive
belt extending about the drive pulley and driven pulley.
- 20 4. The floor sweeper of Claim 1 further comprising
surface-engaging wheels attached to the body and wherein
the auxiliary brush is driven to rotate by one of the
surface-engaging wheels.
- 25 5. The floor sweeper of Claim 4 further comprising
another auxiliary brush - the main brush being flanked by
the auxiliary brushes and wherein said another auxiliary
brush is driven to rotate by another of said surface-

engaging wheels.

6. The floor sweeper of Claim 4 further comprising a
wheel pulley attached to each surface-engaging wheel and
5 an auxiliary pulley attached to each auxiliary brush and a
drive belt extending between each respective wheel pulley
and auxiliary pulley.